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HOUSE ENROLLED ACT No. 1837

AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

SECTION 1. IC 12-11-1.1-10 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2003]: **Sec. 10. (a) The office may assess providers of supported living services and supports to individuals with a developmental disability (described in 460 IAC 6) in an amount not to exceed two and five tenths percent (2.5%) of all service revenue included on the annual plan of care excluding resident living allowances.**

(b) The assessments shall be paid to the office not later than the tenth day of the month for each month that the individual is in service. The office or the office's designee may withhold Medicaid payments to a provider described in subsection (a) that fails to pay an assessment within thirty (30) days after the due date. The amount withheld may not exceed the amount of the assessments due.

(c) The community services quality assurance fund is created. The fund shall be administered by the office.

(d) Revenue from the assessments under this section shall be deposited into the fund. Money in the fund may be used only for the funding of licensing, certification, and quality assurance services. The aggregate amount of the fee may not exceed the state's estimated cost of operating the programs.



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(e) Money in the fund at the end of a state fiscal year does not revert to the state general fund.

(f) If federal financial participation to match the assessments in subsection (a) becomes unavailable under federal law, the authority to impose the assessments terminates on the date that the federal statutory, regulatory, or interpretive change takes effect.

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

President of the Senate

President Pro Tempore

Approved: _____

Governor of the State of Indiana

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